IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
Mermod et al.) Atty. Dkt. 3024-119
Appl. No. 10 / 595 , 495))) Examiner: Celine X. Qian
371(c) date: 04/24/06)) Group Art Unit: 1636

For: HIGH EFFICIENCY GENE TRANSFER AND EXPRESSION IN MAMMALIAN CELLS

BY A MULTIPLE TRANSFECTION PROCEDURE OF MAR SEQUENCES

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action of February 23, 2011, applicants submit the following amendments and response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.